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COMMERCE / CAGNE FOR CLEMENT

STATE FOR S/CCT AND NEA/AFN: ALEGGIO

E.O. 11652: NA
TAGS: EAIR, EGEN, TS
SUBJ: GOT REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING SPARE
PARTS FOR AIRPORT SECURITY EQUIPMENT

1. TUNISIAN OFFICE OF AIRPORTS HAD URGENTLY REQUESTED ASSISTANCE OF EMBASSY IN HELPING TO SECURE NEEDED SPARE PARTS TO REPAIR ELECTRONIC WEAPONS DETECTION EQUIPMENT NEEDED FOR SCREENING OF AIR PASSENGERS. ALL FOUR SUCH UNITS, WHICH WE UNDERSTAND WERE SUPPLIED IN 1972 BY WESTINGHOUSE UNDER AID AUSPICES, ARE NOW OUT OF COMMISSION. (TWO OF THESE UNITS ARE AT TUNIS/CARTHAGE AIRPORT, ONE AT DJERBA AIRPORT AND ONE AT MONASTIR/SKARNES AIRPORT.)

2. ACCORDING TO AIRPORT'S DIRECTOR OF MAINTENANCE H. KANOUN, OFFICE OF AIRPORTS HAS RECEIVED NO REPLY TO NOVEMBER 19, 1977 LETTER TO WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC CORPORATION, ELECTRONIC PROTECTION SYSTEMS, ELECTRONIC SYSTEMS SUPPORT DIVISION, HUNT VALLEY, MARYLAND 21031. THIS LETTER AND FEBRUARY 11, 1978, FOLLOW-UP LETTER
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STATED THAT AIRPORT OFFICE WISHED TO PROCURE ATTACHED LIST OF NEEDED SPARE PARTS AND ASKED PRICE QUOTATION WITH LEAST POSSIBLE DELAY.

3. WE WOULD APPRECIATE COMMERCE, IN LIAISON WITH S/CCT, DOING ALL IT CAN TO EXPEDITE THIS MATTER. WE WOULD FIND IT EMBARRASSING TO BE LESS THAN ZEALOUS IN RES-

PECT TO URGENT PROBLEM OF AIR SECURITY INVOLVING U.S.
SUPPLIER AND INITIAL AID ASSISTANCE.
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